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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO**  
**37 CFR 1.111**

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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action, dated June 24, 2009. A response is due by September 24, 2009.

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